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PUBLIC NOTICE

Services to Persons With Communications Disabilities

The United States District Court, Middle District of Florida, has implemented a policy of providing sign language interpreters or other appropriate auxiliary aids and services to participants in court proceedings who are deaf, hearing-impaired, or have other communication disabilities.

Services will be provided to parties, witnesses, and qualified jurors participating in court proceedings such as pleas, pretrial conferences, status conferences, trials, sentencings, arraignments, revocation hearings, arbitration hearings, and mediation conferences. These services will not generally be provided to spectators, absent exigent circumstances and prior approval by the Court.

Each division of the Middle District of Florida has designated an access coordinator to make appropriate accommodations for persons with communications disabilities. Please contact the access coordinator in the division your case is located a minimum of seven (7) days prior to a scheduled court proceeding to make necessary arrangements. The coordinator can also be contacted by E-mail at Flmd_Communication_Assistance@flmd.uscourts.gov. The following is a list of the access coordinators for the Middle District of Florida:

FORT MYERS DIVISION Division Supervisor (239) 461-2003 direct (239) 461-2000 main	JACKSONVILLE DIVISION Division Supervisor (904) 549- 1313 direct (904) 549-1900 main	OCALA DIVISION Division Supervisor (352) 369-4863 direct (352) 369-4860 main
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